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2. France.

Has no divisions as such; has equivalent of 6 divisions in mobile groups tactical units. These comprise:

4 Infantry divisional equivalents, and
2 Armored divisional equivalents; also has 1 Airborne brigade.

The total personnel strength is now 450,000 including 60,000 gendarmes.

3. Turkey.

35 Infantry divisions;
3 Cavalry divisions; and also 6 Armored brigades, recently formed from 4 armored divisions.

4. Germany.

3 Infantry divisions;
5 Mountain divisions.

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5. China (Nationalist): 172 Infantry divisions. Chinese divisions vary widely in strength, equipment and tactical efficiency. Strength ranges from less than 5,000 to over 15,000 per division. The 3 tank regiments in the Chinese Army are weak in tanks and ineffective as an armored unit. The single Chinese parachute regiment has never been tactically employed as such, having been used as an elite guard unit, and therefore is excluded from this tabulation.

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